

Juvenile Accountability Block Grant (JABG) Program 2005 Topical Trainings

The Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP), in conjunction with the National Training and Technical Assistance Center (NTTAC), is sponsoring three topical trainings for juvenile justice professionals. These trainings present an exciting opportunity for juvenile justice professionals to learn new ways to: most effectively work with girls; provide better mental health services to juveniles in detention; and identify Federal and State funding resources.

A total of **25 scholarships** will be available for each training, which includes **25 scholarships** for each track of the Gender-Responsive Programming for Girls. Scholarships will be available to applicants on a first-come, first-serve basis and will cover hotel cost and up to \$500 in travel expenses. Please be sure to register for one of the trainings before applying for a scholarship.

To register for the trainings and to obtain more information on the scholarships and how to apply, visit <http://jabg.nttac.org>. A detailed description of each training also will be available on the Web site.

Gender-Responsive Programming for Girls I and II

Date: March 15–17, 2005

Location: Miami, Florida

Registration and scholarship application period: January 14–February 11, 2005

The Gender-Responsive Programming for Girls (GRP) I and II curriculum addresses girls' unique experiences as they relate to their gender, race, culture, development (emotional/intellectual/physical), and economic status, while it also identifies the biases that affect girls. The GRP I curriculum serves as an entry-level training, while the GRP II curriculum is more advanced.

Mental Health Service Delivery for Youth in Detention/Corrections

Date: April 12–14, 2005

Location: New Orleans, Louisiana

Registration and scholarship application period: February 1–March 11, 2005

The Mental Health Service Delivery for Youth in Detention/Corrections training will concentrate on how to effectively treat youth in custody who suffer from mental illness. The training will primarily focus on screening, assessment, treatment, and system integration.

Accessing Resources for Community and Faith-Based Organizations (ARC)

Date: May 24–26, 2005

Location: Albuquerque, New Mexico

Registration and scholarship application period: February 1–April 22, 2005

The Accessing Resources for Community and Faith-based Organizations (ARC) training focuses on identifying funding sources and successful grant writing strategies. The training will assist community-based, faith-based, and nonprofit organizations in growing and sustaining their programs. Sessions will include: how to identify funding opportunities, successful grant application strategies, program evaluation and reporting, and effective budgets.